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1. According to [redacted] the Directorate General, Railroads, Berlin, the following rail shipments passed the border in the directions indicated during the period from 9 through 12 July 1952: 25X1

Date in July	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To	[redacted]
a. Westbound shipments					
10	1 B 45 F	motor vehicles	Frankfurt/Oder-border	direction of Cottbus (1)	
	10 F	"	Brest-Litovsk	Zeithain [redacted] (1)	
	7 B	cotton	"	Dresden	
	1 B	wool	"	Leipzig	
	1 B	structural steel	"	Reichenbach	
25X1	2 B	motor vehicle tires	"	Halle	
	1 F	pig iron	"	Hennigsdorf	
	17 B	barley	"	Fuerstenberg (?)	shuttle-train
	33 B	"	"	Frankfurt/Oder-Harbor (2)	
25X1	37 B	military goods	"	Altengrabow	[redacted]
	2 B	nickel	"	Berlin-Lichtenberg	
	7 B	raw bast fibre	"	Dresden	

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Date in July	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To
10	2 B 2 B	iron wire steel cables	Brest-Litovsk	Chemnitz
	5 B	carbon black	"	Zwickau Annaberg Aue Riesa
	3 B 1 B	" iron wire	"	Halle
	3 B	jute	"	Torgau
	7 B	naphthalene	"	Merseburg
	17 G 2 F	ore manganese ore	"	Ziltendorf (3)
	27 G	ore	"	" (3)
	29 T	empty	"	Boehlen (4)
	11 T	"	"	Leipzig (4)
	34 G 4 G	ore manganese ore	"	Ziltendorf
	7 G	pig iron	"	Groeditz Riesa Zittau
	12 B	barley	"	Fuerstenberg, shuttle-train (2)
	40 B	"	"	Grossneuendorf
	11 B 40 B	empty ammunition	"	direction of Cottbus
11	11 G	ore	"	Ziltendorf
	8 B	carbon black	"	Finsterwalde Borna Chemnitz Doebeln Bautzen Hahlow
	6 B	cotton	"	Dresden
	2 B	empty aluminum drums	"	Merseburg
	3 B	colophony	"	Leipzig (5)
	1 B	transformer parts	"	Dessau (5)
	3 B	electrical equipment	"	Hildenstein (5)
	11 B	barley	"	Fuerstenberg (2)

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Date in July	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To
11	20 G	ore	Brest Litovsk	Ziltendorf
	2 B 2 B	cotton canned meat	"	Dresden
	1 B	raw bast fibre	"	Niedersedlitz
	3 F	sheet metal	"	Ichtershausen
	1 F 2 F	" structural iron	"	Weimar
	1 F 1 F	" sheet metal	"	Wiederitzsch
	2 F	iron tubes	"	Leipzig
	14 T	empty	"	Merseburg
	4 F	iron tubes	"	Grosskorbetha
	3 F	sheet metal	"	Wiederitzsch
	10 F 6 F	" structural iron	"	Leipzig Leimar
	2 F	rails	"	Chemnitz
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	15 G	coke	"	Merseburg
	2 B	champagne	"	Erfurt Halle
	55 B	barley	"	Halle Frankfurt/Oder Harbor (2)
	25 G	ore	"	Ziltendorf
	27 T	empty	"	Merseburg (4)
	18 B 15 B	barley oats	"	Halle (2)
12	25 G	ore	"	Ziltendorf
	36 B	"	"	"
	11 B 6 B	barley oats	"	Erfurt (2)
	2 B	"	"	Halle (2)
	1 B	cognac	"	Erfurt
	4 B	motor vehicle tires	"	Halle

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Date in July	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To
12	3 B 2 B	colophony wool	Brest-Litovsk	Leipzig
	1 B	hemp	"	Torgau
	1 B 1 B	raw bast fibre canned meat	"	Dresden
	12 B	cotton	"	Dresden Riesa
	1 B	wool	"	Riesenburg
	1 B	tea	"	Heidenau
	6 F 4 G 1 G	rails structural iron boring machines	"	Chemnitz [redacted]
	1 B	structural iron	"	Reichenbach
	3 G	anthracite	"	Dresden
	4 G	pig iron	"	Freital
	29 B	barley	"	Erfurt (2)
	5 B	"	"	Halle (2)
	6 B	naphthalene	"	Merseburg
	2 B 5 F 1 F 1 B	wool sheet metal tubes cognac	"	Leipzig
	4 F 3 F	structural iron sheet metal	"	Niederitzsch
	2 B	hemp	"	Torgau
	3 G	pig iron	"	Langenberg Cer., Halle Gustau, Goerlitz
	8 F	sheet metal	"	Zeitz
	4 B	carbon black	"	Erfurt
	4 B	military goods	"	Kirchmoeser
	5 B	"	"	Zossen (6)
	15 B	"	"	Thallwese
	1 B	"	"	Muenster-Wilde

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Date in July	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To	25X1 [redacted]	25X1 25X1 [redacted]
12	19 B	barley	Brest-Litovsk	Erfurt (2)		shuttle-train
	16 G	ore	"	Zilten'orf		
	3 B	anthracite	"	Kirchberg Plauen, Aurzen, Dresden		
	3 G	pig iron	"	Chemnitz Frankenberg		
	4 B	cotton	"	Riesa-Harbor		
	12 B	oats				
	26 G	ore	"	Ziltendorf		

b. Eastbound shipments

9	29 B 4 F	undetermined	undetermined	Brest-Litovsk	
	31 B 13 G	"	"	"	
	46 B	uranium ore	"	"	
	1 B	motor vehicles	direction of Beeskow	Frankfurt/Oder-Border (1)	
	27 F	empty tank shuttle train	Berlin-Rummelsburg	Brest-Litovsk (7)	
	40 B	undetermined	undetermined	Rzepin (Reppen)	
	30 B 10 F	"	"	Brest-Litovsk	
	31 F 7 G	motor vehicles	direction of Eberswalde	Frankfurt/Oder-Border (1)	
	25 B 5 F 4 T	undetermined	undetermined	Brest-Litovsk	
	2 G 22 F	wheel sets	Cottbus	" (2)	
	4 B	gesarol (insecticide)	Reichenbach	Rzepin (Reppen)	
	7 B	books	Leipzig	Moscow	
	2 F	machinery	Goerlitz	Brest-Litovsk	

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Date in July	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To	
9	28 B 8 P 1 G	undetermined	undetermined	Brest-Litovsk	
	24 B 2 P	"	"	"	
	45 B 2 P	"	"	"	
	44 B 11 G	sections of prefabricated houses	"	"	25X1
	52 B 3 G	undetermined	undetermined	"	
	1 P	4 empty bomb crates	Boetzow	Frankfurt/Oder-Border (9)	
11	13 B 8 P	undetermined	undetermined	Brest-Litovsk	
	14 B 4 P	"	"	"	
	41 B 57 P	"	"	"	
	13 B 21 P 3 T	"	"	"	
12	46 B	uranium ore	undetermined	Brest-Litovsk	
	19 B 31 P	undetermined	"	"	
	25 B 23 P	"	"	"	
	10 B 13 P 13 G	"	"	"	
	46 B	uranium ore	"	"	
	20 P	empty tank shuttle train	Frankfurt/Oder	" (7)	
	56 B	empty grain shuttle train	undetermined	"	
	54 P	undetermined	Leipzig, Dresden Niederpritzsch, Hardeburg	"	
	2 B	boats	Leipzig	" (4)	

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Date in July	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To
12	3 T	undetermined	Bitterfeld	Brest-Litovsk (4)
	4 T	"	Wolfen	" (4)
	2 T	"	Magdeburg	" (4)
	25 T	"	Grosskorbetha	" (4)

25X1 2. According to [redacted] the Frankfurt/Oder railroad station
25X1 [redacted] the following
Soviet supply shipments entered the Soviet Zone en route from Brest-Litovsk during the period from 10 through 12 July 1952: 25X1

Date in July	Number and Type of Cars	Load	Dispatched to
10	45 flatcars	45 trucks	Koenigsbrueck
	20 "	20 "	Zeithain
	5 boxcars	military goods	Muellrose
11	25 flatcars	25 trucks	Bergen/Ruegen
	44 "	44 "	Altengrabow
	20 "	20 "	Premnitz
	45 "	45 "	Haldensleben
12	50 flatcars	50 trucks	Altengrabow
	12 boxcars	military goods	Muellrose
	5 "	"	Jessen
	5 "	"	Velten
	10 "	"	Strausberg

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25X1 Comments.

1) These shipments are connected with the vehicle exchange program.
2) Grain shuttle trains operating between the U.S.S.R. and the Soviet Zone of Germany. [redacted]
3) All ore shipments dispatched to Ziltendorf were for the Foundry Combine East near Fuerstenberg/Oder.
4) Deliveries by Soviet Zone hydrogenation plants to the U.S.S.R. and returning empty railroad tank cars. 25X1
5) These shipments were for the Muldenstein power station which is to be rebuilt in order to furnish the power for railroad lines in the Halle railroad district, which are to be re-electrified. [redacted] 25X1
6) A repair installation of the 123d Tank Repair [illegible] of the GOMG is located in Kirchmoeser, and a large ordnance depot of the GOMG is in Jessen.
7) These flatcars were probably taken from the tank shuttle trains kept available in Eastern Germany for the Soviets. [redacted] 25X1
Their dispatch to the U.S.S.R. indicates that new tanks will again be shipped to Eastern Germany in the near future. These tanks may be delivered to the Volkspolizei.
8) These wheel sets were sent from the Cottbus collection point to the Soviet border stations for use on the old German freight cars returned from the U.S.S.R. [redacted] 25X1

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(9) Boetzow is the railroad station of Schoenwalde airfield.

(10)

25X1 [redacted] was previously reported [redacted] as being 25X1
assigned to the receiver of military shipments in Velten;
is reported for the first time and was probably confused
[redacted] which belongs to a unit or the headquarters of 25X1
the 4th AT Arty Brig (US) at Bergen on Rügen Island.
is likewise reported for the first time. It is believed that
[redacted] which is assigned to the 25X1
cadre unit stationed at the Altengrabow troop training
25X1 grounds. The other [redacted] mentioned in the present report
were not commented on because they were known previously.

11) Most of the shipments contained in paragraph 2 of the present
report were included in paragraph 1. However, they contain additional
25X1 information as to [redacted] and places of destination.

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